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Proposed Terms of Reference: Uses of Economic Intelligence in (Military) Planning

- a. Monitor the methods and techniques used in the application to (military) planning of foreign economic intelligence, especially costing, to see if more suitable types and modes of presentation of such intelligence would facilitate planning processes.
- b. Examine the adequacy of qualifications accompanying the production and dissemination of finished foreign economic intelligence and estimates, to include NIEs, to insure that users are adequately informed about reliability, validity, methodologies and data gaps.
- c. Recommend internal and external research to USIB organizations, to improve the application of foreign economic intelligence to (military) planning processes, to include use in comparative cost-effectiveness analysis.
- d. Review all contracts of USIB agencies above \$5000 for research on methodologies for applying economic intelligence to user problems.

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